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WILL PUSH ON TO CAPITAL

JUAREZ, Dec. 1.—Rather than endure starvation, the federal troops have evacuated Chihuahua City, which has been under siege for weeks, according to the advices received tonight by General Francisco Villa the rebel leader. The evacuation leaves the city open to possession by the rebels.

The report received by Villa stat- ed that Salvador Mercado, military governor of the state, with 2,000 fed- eral troops had left on foot for Ojinaga on the United States border near Marfa, Texas; that Generals Jose Ynez Salazar and Pascual Orozco with more than 1,000 federa ls had retreated to the mountains west of the city and that hundreds of civilians, including women and children who were on the verge of starvation, had started out to walk to the United States border. Besides being the capital of the state, Chihuahua with a population of normally 25,000 is the metropolis of northern Mexico. Neither in the Madero revolution nor in the present uprising has Chihuahua been taken from the federa ls. Its garrison and the commanding positions for sharpshooters and machine guns afforded by the cathedral and public buildings theretofore had presented a formidable barrier to invaders. Had the rebels reached the city and the federa ls resisted it was relieved that a fight in the city would have resulted in great loss of life and property.

Conditions Unendurable.

Conditions in the city were said to be such that life there was no longer endurable. The Spanish viaduct which conveyed water from the mountains was reported to have been destroyed and the food supply exhausted. General Villa tonight telegraphed details of the evacuation to General Carranza at Hermosillo, stating that the proposed advance of the rebels southward to Mexico City would now be expedited. The possession of the city he said would make rebel territory of the country straight through to Zacatecas and operations would begin about that city and at Aguas Calientes.

Among the besieged citizens at Chihuahua who are believed to be seeking elsewhere where Juan Creel, a banker and relative of Enrique Creel, former supporter of President Diaz and Albert Terrazas, a wealthy land owner.

Name Civil Governor.

General Villa said Federico Moye, a prominent merchant had been named civil governor of Chihuahua state, his selection being based on the belief that he would be acceptable to the rebels.

"The report of the capitulation of Chihuahua is authentic," said Villa. "It comes to me in an official despatch which said the city was evacuated on Sunday. A rebel courier at once set out and rode 13 miles northward where he met the rebel advance guard. This was at a point called Villa Ahmada, where we have established telegraphic communication. I have transmitted the details to General Carranza, the head of the revolution."

"It is my purpose now to send a force to intercept Mercado, who is fleeing to Ojinaga and also to capture Orozco and Salazar. The main body probably will concentrate at Chihuahua preparatory to the advance southward. We will be nearing Mexico City within a month."

Secure Much Loot.

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Diamond La Vallieres

A La Valliere is one of the daintiest and most exquisite pieces of jewelry wrought by the jeweler's craft. And this is particularly true when it is set with diamonds.

You can see some of the very latest designs in La Vallieres on display at our store, both with precious stones and without.

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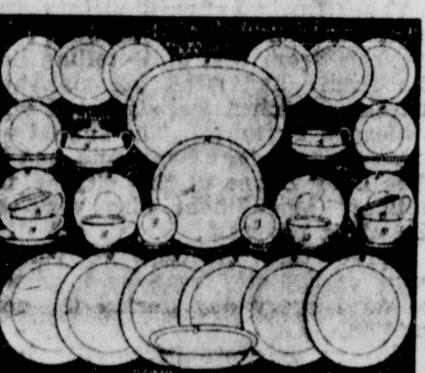
Dishes With Your Initial

Is the prevailing rage. These dishes are something out of the ordinary and are worth three times what they cost. They are a plain white dish with gold band and any initial you may want, in gold letters. They are obtainable with coupons from "White Lily", "Hercules" and "Cream" Flour. Call in and see these dishes.

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PRaises Tandy's Work.

A recent edition of the Charlotte Daily Observer (North Carolina) in speaking of the North Carolina university football team, of which Geo. Tandy of this city is a member, says of Tandy: "Tandy who is rated as one of the best centers south of Pennsylvania, has maintained the dependence which coaches have placed in him throughout the season. He is sure and speedy."

Big dance Armory Hall, Randall's orchestra, Wednesday, Dec. 3.

California Woman Seriously Alarmed

"A short time ago I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I would have had coughing spells and my lungs were so sore and inflamed I began to be seriously alarmed. A friend recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saying she had used it for years. I bought a bottle and it relieved my cough the first night, and in a week I was rid of the cold and soreness of my lungs," writes Miss Marie Gerber, Sault Ste. Marie. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

Trade Sale Boosters

Phelps & Osborne

Are not going to wait for a clearance sale to clear out their fine garments for fall and winter but are going to give you the satisfaction of wearing some of their handsome and up to date stylish winter garments at the time you will need them and at prices much smaller than you would purchase them at a clearance sale.

Coats and Suits

You'll be delighted with the Coat or Suit you buy here at the prices quoted. The time to buy these beautiful garments is now.

\$45.00 Black Ural Lamb Coats, priced as boosters at	\$22.50
\$28.50 Black Ural Lamb Coats priced as boosters at	\$16.00
\$40.00 Gray Mole Skin Coats, at the booster price of	\$21.00
\$32.50 Gray Mole Skin Coats at a booster price of	\$16.75
\$45.00 Novelty Coats; as a booster sale price they are	\$22.50
\$31.50 Novelty Coats. The booster price is	\$18.00
\$27.50 Novelty Coats. The booster price is	\$17.50
\$25.00 Novelty Coats. A great booster price is only	\$15.00

It will pay you handsomely to buy your winter suits now at our trade sale booster prices. All shades and handsome models.

\$15.00 Suits. Booster price	\$8.00
\$22.50 Suits. Booster price	\$13.75
\$27.50 Suits. Booster price	\$17.50
\$20.00 Suits. Booster price	\$12.00
\$25.00 Suits. Booster price	\$15.00

Prices That Show Big Savings

Thanksgiving Is Past—Christmas Is Coming Soon

Come in and get familiar with our great Holiday Stocks. Then when you are ready to buy you will know where to get it.

Our Celebrated Holiday Basement Department

Is brimful of all that goes to make the gift season the happiest of the year. Something for the baby, and then something for the older children, Father, Mother, Sister and friends and neighbors. Select your gifts now while the assortments are unbroken; have them laid away to be called for later, or delivered when you want them. We have Dolls of all kinds, Doll Cabs, Noah's Arks, Wagons, Sleds, Drums, Indian Suits, Mail Carrier's Suits, Soldier's Suits, Iron Toys, Magic Lanterns, Ballgs and Bats, Cut Glass, Fine China Plates, Salad Dishes, Cups and Saucers. The greatest display of Holiday Goods in the city. Come and bring the children and keep coming.

The Main Floor

Is dressed in Holiday attire. Come and be shown. A wonderful line of Ladies', Children's and Men's Handkerchiefs, Hosiery and Gloves, Neckwear, Ribbons, Ladies' Hand Bags, beautiful line Toilet articles, Stamped Linens and Pillow Tops. All the new Silks and Velvets. Wool Dress Goods, Blankets, Table Linens, Napkins, Scarfs and Center Pieces, Embroidered Pillow Cases, Indian Robes.

Don't shut your eyes to the saving opportunities that greet you here on every hand in selecting your holiday gifts.

DECEMBER 13, TAG DAY.

When the Friends of Passavant Hospital Will Be Asked to Aid in Raising a Fund for the Benefit of the Needy Sick and Wounded.

As already stated in the Journal, Carl Weber has been appointed manager of tag day for the benefit of the free beds at Passavant hospital. Mr. Weber has decided on Saturday, Dec. 13th, and it is earnestly hoped that a generous response will be the result. The hospital is especially the work of the Protestant churches of the city and should have the generous support of all connected with them and of the public generally. The hospital tries only to come out even at the end of each year and do all the good it can and it is pleasant to know that for each dollar given tag day worthy persons receive three at least.

It costs on an average of twelve dollars a week to care for a patient at the hospital. From the tag day fund only seven is charged while all surgeons' and doctors' services are absolutely free. Great care is exercised in the admission of patients to guard against the unworthy. The applicant must have the endorsement of a reputable minister of the gospel residing in Jacksonville and must be a resident of the county or vicinity. In this way the greatest possible amount of good is done with the money contributed.

A large number of solicitors is desired for tag day and if unable to work all day then a part. Let us all strive to make it a success. Who knows how soon he may need the services of the hospital?

J. A. Obermeyer & Son have in catalogue form a list of all the holiday books recommended by Miss Webber of the city library and will be pleased to have orders for any of them this week.

THE ANTI-LIQUOR ORDINANCE

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CHILDREN'S COAT SALE.

\$5.00 COATS NOW	\$2.75
\$7.00 COATS NOW	\$4.00
\$10.00 COATS NOW	\$5.75
\$12.00 COATS NOW	\$7.00

A LARGE ASSORTMENT TO SELECT FROM AT HERMAN'S.

BILLPOSTERS MEET IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 1.—The annual convention of the Billposters and Oilers of America began its sessions in this city today with an attendance of delegates from many of the leading cities of the United States and Canada. Plans to combat legislation injurious to the interests of the billposters already passed or being agitated in numerous states and cities, will occupy much of the time of the convention. The sessions will continue through the greater part of the week.

HORSE TAKES SICK.

The family horse of George Lewis of the county home, became sick yesterday afternoon in the alley next to the creamery. Dr. C. E. Scott was called and the animal removed to the Scott hospital by means of William Nunn's ambulance. The horse is suffering from Ajotoria (kidney trouble).

TO GIVE BAND BENEFIT.

Thursday evening at Lynyville there is to be a supper for the benefit of the band. The occasion promises to be one of great pleasure.

LOCAL COMPANY IN NEW LIGHTING OFFER

SUPT. MISER SAYS PROPOSITION IS NOT DEPENDENT ON FRANCHISES.

Proposal is to Furnish Street Lights at \$12,000 Per Year—Promises Big Reduction in Rates to Consumers if Company Gets Street Contract—Gives Arguments Against Municipal Plant.

It has been generally expected that the Railway and Light Company would make a determined fight against the proposed bond issue for rebuilding the city light plant. The following statement from W. B. Miser, General Superintendent of the company, is therefore of unusual interest at this time.

"We are not going to 'fight' the bond issue," said Mr. Miser yesterday, "except by showing the advantage the city will have through accepting our proposition. We want to reduce lighting rates in Jacksonville, and this can be done if we get with the street lighting contract.

"The reason is easy to see—it is cheaper to do the street lighting and the house and store lighting from one plant and set of poles and wires than it is to do it with two sets. Therefore we can do the street lighting cheaper than the city can do it alone, and in addition we can do the house and store lighting cheaper if we get the street lighting contract than if we do it with two sets. The proposed bond issue is not big enough to provide for house and store lighting by the city plant.

Our offer is to do all street lighting as laid out by the Public Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce for \$12,000 a year and in addition to light Nichols park free. As soon as a contract is made with us on that basis we will be able to reduce the house and store lighting rates over 30 per cent.

"And right here I want to clear up a misunderstanding which seems to be pretty general. The street lighting contract has nothing to do with whether we get a new franchise or not. Neither has the reduction in rates. The proposed bond issue will become effective the day we get the street lighting contract. And another thing—the new street lighting system will be in operation in sixty days after the contract is awarded to us.

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REMOVAL NOTICE.

I have removed my office to number three Unity building.

AMOS HENDERSON,

HAS FIFTH CROP OF ALFALFA.

Charles E. Woods of Woodson brought some alfalfa to the city recently, the fifth crop raised this season, 15 inches in height. The alfalfa is on exhibition in the office of C. H. Story in the Ayers building.

My Mamma Says - It's Safe for Children.

CONTAINS NO OPIATES

FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR For Coughs and Colds.

City Drug Store, J. A. Obermeyer

APPOINT COMMITTEE FOR ANNUAL ROLL CALL OF URANIA LODGE

Several New Petitions are Received at Regular Meeting Monday Evening.

At their regular meeting Monday evening members of Urania Lodge No. 242, I. O. O. F., appointed a committee consisting of Herman Weber, J. K. Long and C. E. Seymour to have charge of the annual roll call of the lodge which will be held January 5.

A large number of members and visitors were present at the meeting and much enthusiasm was manifested, several new petitions being given hearty applause. Several new petitions were received and a number were ballotted on. After the lodge meeting the degree staff was thoroughly organized and spent an hour in practice on the initiatory degree which will be conferred on a class of nine candidates next Monday evening. The lodge is planning to receive the New Year's class of twenty-five sometime in January at which time several of the grand officers will be present and assist in the work. The occasion will be celebrated by a program and banquet.

The annual roll call will be held the first meeting of the New Year. This event is always looked forward to with much interest by the members of the lodge and the committee in charge have plans which will insure a specially profitable and fruitful gathering.

BIBLES.

The new red letter Oxford bibles. Bargain Book Store.

SENATOR FLETCHER'S DAUGHTER WEDS.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.—None but relatives and a few intimate friends attended the wedding this afternoon of Miss Nell Fletcher, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Duncan U. Fletcher of Florida, and Mr. Lionel Smith-Gordon, son of Sir Lionel Smith-Gordon, Bart., and Lady Smith-Gordon of Alderholt Lodge, Salisbury, England. The ceremony was performed at All Souls' Church and was followed by a reception at the Fletcher home.

The bridal couple plan to sail from New York tomorrow for a Mediterranean cruise. A part of the winter will be spent in Switzerland, after which they will go to Dublin, where Mr. Smith-Gordon will be in charge of the foundation of the Russell Library, which will be devoted to Irish agricultural interests.

Mrs. Helen Strawbridge of Springfield will be at Dunlap House today with Xmas goods.

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CITY AND COUNTY

Newton Gish was a city visitor from Literberry.

C. A. Obermeyer was a visitor in St. Louis Sunday.

Harry Roach is a business visitor in Carthage today.

O. W. Lake was a business caller in Centralia yesterday.

Mrs. C. J. Swain of Sinclair was a city visitor yesterday.

J. R. Hackell of Pittsfield spent Sunday in Jacksonville.

M. McCracken of Manchester was a Sunday visitor in the city.

W. E. Douglas of Franklin journeyed to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Lora Allen spent the week end with St. Louis friends.

James Petefish of Arcadia was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Samuel Zachary of Orleans was in the city yesterday on business.

Ed. Phillips was a visitor in Jacksonville from Savage Station.

Walter Houston of Arcadia was among the city visitors Monday.

Harry Ogle was a Monday visitor in the city from Crackers Bend.

T. N. Oaks of Farmington was a Monday business caller in the city.

Mrs. John Crum of Franklin was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Green of Bluffs were shoppers in the city yesterday.

Louis Gunderson of Springfield called on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Miss Hulda Sims of Modesto was among the Monday shoppers in the city.

Dr. J. K. Elder of Franklin was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Edward Farmer of Sinclair was among the Monday visitors in the city.

Charles Stansfield of Palmyra was a Monday business caller in the city.

Harvey Hanking of Winchester was a Monday business caller in the city.

John Seymour of Franklin was transacting business in the city Monday.

Miss Minnie Ralston of Nortonville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

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Benjamin Sage was a Monday business visitor in the city from Prentiss.

William Rorill of Literberry was in the city Monday attending to business.

L. A. and Charles Seymour of Franklin were callers in the city yesterday.

S. G. Ford of Kansas City was transacting business in the city yesterday.

T. Deere of Franklin was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Thomas Robertson of Virginia was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Richard Butler of the south part of the county was in the city yesterday.

Patrick O'Brien was a business caller in the city Monday from Nortonville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Thompson of Arcadia were visitors in the city Monday.

Frank Robinson of Murrayville was a business caller in the city Monday.

J. B. Ratliff of Concord was a caller on Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Herschel Bowyer was in the city Monday from Franklin on a shopping trip.

We will give double S. & H. Green trading stamps from now until Xmas. Cody-Vanner China Shop, Suc. to J. H. Rayhill Jr. and Co.

Miss Stella Martin of Rodhouse was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

H. C. McCarty of Decatur was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Ennis Mayfield of Franklin was among the Monday business callers in the city.

Thomas Hagel of Mt. Sterling was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Morris of Ashland were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

John Naulty of Prentiss was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry O. Kruse of Chapin were among the Sunday visitors in the city.

Mrs. M. H. Havenhill has gone to Normal for a visit with her daughter, Miss Lillian.

Warren Nortrup and Clarence Quintal were both in the city from Bluffs yesterday.

Mrs. Kate Fanning and two children of Scottville were shopping in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Beepur of Franklin were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

W. T. Dodsworth has arrived from Berkeley, Cal., for a short visit with Morgan county friends.

Miss Marie Austin has returned to her home in Franklin after a visit with her sister, Miss Bertha.

Mrs. Joseph Cappa went to Passavant hospital yesterday and is to undergo another operation soon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garland and Editor E. D. Baird were arrivals in the city from Bluffs yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Land and son who have been visiting relatives in Scottville returned to the city Sunday.

Nicholas Shadid of Springfield was a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Shadid of North Main St.

Mrs. F. A. DeFreitas has returned to Springfield after a visit with her mother, Mrs. John Cherry and family.

Miss Gene Patterson has returned from St. Louis where she has been enjoying the Thanksgiving holidays.

Layton McShee has returned to his duties at Hopper's store after several month's absence from the city.

Mrs. Clarence Lukeman has returned from visit of six weeks with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Baum of Springfield.

S. T. Zachary of the east part of the county was in the city yesterday placing his son Harold in the business college.

Miss Frances English and Miss Geneva Upp have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Clemmons of Virden.

Mrs. J. W. Waller of East Superior avenue returned Sunday from Greenfield, where she was the guest of her son John Waller.

Miss Anna, Margaret and Gusso Duffner have returned from a holiday visit with their sister, Mrs. Flynn of Clemens Station.

Mrs. James Cook and daughter, Emma of South East street have returned from a Thanksgiving visit with friends in St. Louis.

Miss Edith Jordan, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. L. Simms of East North Street, returned Monday to her home in St. Louis.

Miss Harriet Coleman has returned to her home in Palmyra, Ill., after a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. I. C. Coleman of this city.

The students of the high school were granted a holiday Monday.

Mayor George W. Davis, a jubilee meeting was held at the high school at the time of the regular morning chapel on account of the victory over Menomonee Thanksgiving day.

Addresses were made by Coach Bullard, Mayor Davis and a number of the players on the football team.

Mayor Davis stated that on account of the many victories the football team had won he thought that a holiday was in order and so granted one.

The students gave the mayor threeousing cheers and after school was dismissed the boys went to the city hall where they presented him with a box of fine cigars.

ATTENTION K. OF P. 376.

SPECIAL meeting tonight. Rank of Page and Esquire. Visiting Knights invited.

Frank Bracewell, C. C. Oran H. Cook, K. of R. S.

AMOMA CLASS ELECTS.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Amoma Bible Class of the First Baptist church was held Monday evening.

Preceding the meeting supper was served at 6:30 o'clock, in charge of

Mrs. Spires, Mrs. King, Mrs. Johns and Mrs. Rabjohns. The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following:

Teacher—Mrs. A. B. Williamson.

President—Miss Mary Laurie.

Vice-president—Mrs. T. O. Hardyston.

Secretary—Mrs. A. H. King.

Treasurer—Miss Jennie Rabjohns.

Chairman visiting committee—Mrs. Ball.

Chairman entertainment committee—Mrs. Spires.

Press reporter—Miss Lella Reese.

M. P. L. NOTICE.

Lodge No. 269 has postponed masquerade dance till further notice.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS' MEETING.

A special meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce

has been called for 7:30 Wednesday evening to discuss city lighting

matters. A full attendance is desir-

ed as there will be presented some

statistics of importance as well as

a report from the municipal affairs

committee of the Chamber of Com-

FOR THIS WEEK

Kraut, per gallon 25c
 Bulk Macaroni, per lb.05c
 1 lb. package Seeded Raisins. 10c
 1 lb. pk. Cleaned Currants, 2 for 25c
 12 oz. pk. Cleaned Currants, 3 for 25c
 Fancy Large Prunes, 2 lbs. 25c
 Cranberries, per qt. 10c, gallon. 35c
 3 lb. can Grated Pineapple, 10c,
 3 for 25c
 3 Fat Norway Markerel, new..... 25c
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HOLIDAY GIVING CAUSES SHARP DEBATE

BOARD OF EDUCATION OBJECTS TO MAYOR'S CLOSING ORDERS.

Resolution is Passed Leaving Question of Special Holidays to Superintendent and Principals—Mayor Says He Will Continue Past Policy—Bill of Architect Buckingham is Approved After Consideration—Enrollment Figures.

The city council has acted wisely in placing on record a resolution declaring that it favors a series tungsten system of lighting for the city and that if the bond issue carries that a competent engineer will be employed to prepare plans and specifications and to superintend the work of construction. The resolution also specifies that this engineer shall be chosen by the council and the public affairs committee of the Chamber of Commerce. This committee consists of H. J. Rodgers, Dr. Edw. Bowe, J. F. Brennan, L. O. Vaught, F. E. Baldwin and Fletcher Hopper. The action of the council indicates that the city officials are in hearty accord with the business men of the city and recognize that the best results can be obtained by working together.

The Proceedings.

The board met with all present. Mayor George W. Davis in the chair. The minutes of the preceding meeting and called meetings were read and approved.

All properly approved bills were ordered paid. Objections were raised against some that the recent order for requisitions had not been compiled with and warning was issued that hereafter the requisitions must go with the bills.

The matter of increasing the salaries of teachers was brought up and Member Rogerson said it should be done largely at the discretion of the superintendent and principals.

In this connection the salary of a teacher who wants to be released was mentioned. The superintendent said it would be hard to fill her place. Some time since a rule had been adopted limiting the salaries of the grade teachers but it was the sentiment of the board that it was hardly wise.

The mayor thought that normal training was hardly sufficient cause in all cases for an increase and there was too much difference between the pay of the high school teachers and the pay of the grade instructors.

The case in question was referred to Members Hall and Wells and superintendent Gore with power to act.

Contractor Wolke presented his first estimate, \$3,500, for the work already done on the new eighth grade building and the matter was ordered duly investigated and if found correct to be allowed.

Architect Buckingham presented his bills for professional services as follows:

Architect's Bill Discussed.

Original plan not adopted as cost too much. Alteration in same \$3100.00 Revising 50.00 Stenographer 100.00 Time of architect and helper 725.00 Material 37.50 Total \$4062.50

This caused a great deal of discussion. The facts briefly are these: The first bill, \$3150, was for plans and specifications for the building that was not adopted as it was too costly. Then the agreement was with Mr. Buckingham that he revise the whole matter to conform to the financial ability of the board and he agreed to do this at the exact cost of the work. There was much complaint of the charge of \$50 for stenographer and of the charge of \$725 which was deemed excessive.

Member Rogerson remarked that there would be almost \$1000 more for superintending and then a building inspector would have to be employed in addition making the whole cost nearly \$6000, which seemed far too much. He knew of the Edwardsville building costing \$61,000, which cost for, specifications and superintending only \$2900.

Mr. Buckingham said he was ten weeks at the work and the members thought his price was far too much but he said he lost some other work by having that on hand.

Finally he deducted \$62.50 and the bill was ordered paid, the sum of \$2500 having been paid on it some time since.

Member Rogerson said he had exchanged five old type writers in the high school for five new ones at a cost of \$200. Approved.

Member Rogerson said that some years ago the pupils of the fourth ward had by various means bought a piano for the buildings and he had felt the fourth ward pupils were entitled to something so he had bought them a Victrola. Approved.

Holiday Giving Causes Debate.

Member Hall brought up the matter of closing the schools in honor of football victories and doubted the wisdom of it.

The mayor said the precedent had been set by John R. Davis and continued by C. H. Wilmayer and H. H. Bancroft. He had been criticised and to show he wasn't afraid he had granted not a half holiday but a whole one today and he would continue to do it whenever he saw fit.

The matter was discussed by different ones and the majority were of the opinion that the course pursued in the past was hardly best and Member Hall moved that the granting of special holidays be left to the superintendent and principals.

Member Rogerson seconded.

The mayor declared the motion out of order and an appeal was taken and Member Bavington voted to sustain the mayor and the others voted no.

The motion of Member Hall was then put to the house and carried, Member Bavington voting no.

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COUNCIL IS ON RECORD AS FAVORING THIS METHOD OF ACTION.

If Light Bond Issue Carries Expert Will Be Secured By Council With Advice of Business Men—Anti-Liquor Shipping Ordinance Is Adopted—Monthly Reports of Officers Received.

At the council session Monday morning a resolution was passed setting forth that if the light bond ordinance is adopted at the coming election that a competent consulting engineer will be secured to draw plans and specifications for the plant and that this engineer be chosen with the advice of a committee from the Chamber of Commerce. The ordinance making it illegal to ship intoxicating liquors into Jacksonville was adopted. Other business transacted was largely routine in character. A number of ladies were present simply as spectators.

Order of Business.

After the minutes had been read and approved Isaac Worfolk was permitted to address the council concerning an account he had against one member of the police force.

A resolution was read by the clerk setting forth that if the light bond ordinance carries at the election that the council will install a series of tungsten system of lighting and employ a competent consulting engineer in preparing plans and specifications for the plant and lines.

Mr. Newman was given time to read the resolution and Mr. Knollenberg suggested that the Trades Assembly and the Woman's club be also represented on the committee. The motion to adopt the resolution was then put and it was carried by a vote of four to one. Mr. Newman voting against the adoption of the measure. The resolution is printed below.

Reports of officers were read and approved are summarized below. Properly approved bills were ordered paid.

Poll Tax Delinquents.

Mr. Newman said that a list of delinquents on poll tax had been submitted to him by Mr. Knollenberg and that according to the ordinance he was supposed to go before a justice of peace and swear out warrants against the delinquents and try to enforce collection.

He said that as some on the list were under age and others were for one reason or another not liable for the tax that he did not like to swear to the correctness of the list. He thought the matter should be turned over to the police department for investigation and collection.

Mr. Engel said the police department thus far had nothing to do with the collection and that there was no use in handing it over at this stage.

Mr. Davis called attention to the ordinance, which requires that the collection of poll tax be handled by the street department and suggested that if desirable he would delegate police powers to one of the street department employees.

Liquor Ordinance Passed.

The liquor ordinance which provides penalties for shipping in liquor was given a second reading and was adopted on motion of Mr. Knollenberg, with a second by Mr. Newman. Mr. Engel alone voted against the measure. He said that he did not believe the law could be enforced and suggested that in voting for it some other members of the council were playing at politics, with the

idea that their action might have some effect on their political futures.

Mr. Knollenberg announced that a carpenter would be on hand Wednesday to begin cutting the entrance through the wall of the room now occupied by James Hurst, keeper of the city prison.

Mr. Engel asked if the council had ever taken action discharging Mr. Hurst from his position. There was no answer to this question and no action was taken.

DeMarte Gates asked permission to address the council and said that the public would be interested in having Mr. Brennan publish figures showing the cost of operating the light plant during the past five years. Also the figures of water consumption during the months of September, October and November of this year and for the same months last year.

The council then adjourned.

Officers' Reports.

The report of H. Wannamaker, sexton of Jacksonville cemetery, showed eight graves made in November.

The report of George W. Davis, commissioner of public affairs, showed six graves made in Diamond Grove cemetery in November.

R. L. Pyatt made reports as follows: Diamond Grove cemetery receipts, \$321.30; Jacksonville cemetery receipts, \$62.80; city clerk's office, \$180.

The report of James S. Hurst, city prison keeper, showed the number of meals served 55.

W. H. Cobb, water superintendent, reported for October as follows: Water rent, \$2,697.20; meters, \$30; meter repaired, \$32.85; total, \$2,769.05.

George P. Davis, chief of police, reported as follows: Arrests, 31; males, 27; females, 4; city cases, 28; state cases, 3; amount collected, \$380.10.

These arrests were as follows: Assault, 4; abusive language, 1; disorderly conduct, 13; keeper disorderly house, 1; violating local option law, 2; drunkenness, 2; larceny, 2; gambling, 6.

F. E. Farrell, treasurer, reported: Balance on Dec. 1, \$6,525.45 in general fund.

Miss Weller, city matron, reported two delinquent girls provided for through the juvenile court. Two children were placed in the kindergarten who were locked in their home while the father and mother went to work. Three children, a recent case, who need to be placed in homes, and two girls reported to be on the streets and in bad company.

Resolution Adopted.

"Believing from investigation and experience that the abandonment of our municipal light plant would not only be a great financial loss to citizens of Jacksonville, but that it would also seriously impair the development and efficiency of our water supply in the future, we seek to secure light and water for the people at the lowest possible cost and to prevent the monopolizing or restriction of such necessities in the future, we favor the construction of a municipal electric light plant of the maximum efficiency."

"The association or consolidation of the light and water interests of the city will be the first step in securing a material reduction in the cost of production of light and water to the people both as a municipality and as individual consumers. The complete system of street wiring of the new plant will enable the city to enter the field of commercial lighting when practicable."

"Therefore, be it resolved, By the mayor and commissioners of Jacksonville, Ill., in session, that the proposed municipal electric light plant be constructed from the funds derived from the \$50,000 bond issue to be voted upon Dec. 20, 1913, shall be a series tungsten system as set forth in Proposal 'B' in the

report of Prof. J. M. Bryant to the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce.

"We pledge this body to the employment of a competent consulting and operating engineer to be selected by the city council and public affairs committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Said consulting engineer to make all drawings and specifications for the erection of plant, machinery and distributing system; and supervise the construction of same. We further desire to go on record for the establishment of a system of accounting in the management of our light and water system in accordance with the requirements of the state public utilities commission; and also one that will insure the maximum efficiency at the minimum expense."

"Being citizens of Jacksonville as well as public officers representing all the people of the municipality we desire to conserve and protect our mutual interests with regard to the exploitation by any individual or corporate interests. We therefore ask the co-operation of our citizens in this step forward in establishing municipal development and placing our city in the position which she merits."

"Resolved that these resolutions be made a matter of record of the city council."

FARMERS' INSTITUTE RULES.

For the benefit of those to whom the rules of the 1913 Farmers' Institute may not be clear, an official of the institute states again:

There will be no entry fees.

Entries must be made Wednesday, Dec. 10, the time for making entries closing Wednesday at 4 p.m.

All exhibits remain the property of the owner.

All premiums are cash and will be paid Friday, the 12th, or Saturday, Dec. 13.

Exhibits may be removed Saturday, the 13th.

HANDSOME ELECTRIC SIGN.

G. A. Sieber has installed in front of his place of business on South Main street an attractive electric sign which has a novel system of lighting, the script letters being traced out by the lamps lighting in succession as if written by an invisible pen.

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK?

If Tongue is Coated or if Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhea, give tea-spoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fizzy laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.—Adv.

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CHICAGO ORGANIZATION IS HEADED BY J. A. PUGH, THE YACHTSMAN.

Club Is Incorporated With Membership of 2,500 and is Expected To Grow Within a Year To a Membership of 40,000—Will Have 68 Vice-presidents.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—What is designed to be one of the greatest sporting clubs in the world with program abounding unusual features is promised for Chicago, according to announcement made today. The organization started with 2,500 members with James A. Pugh, the yachtsman, as president, has been incorporated under the name "Sportsmen's Club of America."

Mr. Pugh said today that within a year the club will have a membership of 40,000 as there will be no initiation fee and the annual dues will be only \$5.

A large club house, with a stadium seating 15,000 persons will be constructed here and it is planned to give exhibitions every night of the year, giving full play to every one of the sixty-eight recognized branches of sports, ranging from archery to roque and yachting.

There will be sixty-eight vice-presidents, each one an expert in one branch of sport.

"We should have in both Northwestern and Chicago Universities, rowing crews equal to those in Harvard, Yale, Syracuse and other collegiate contests each year," said Mr. Pugh. "The lake front affords an ideal place for such events. Before many years we will have a outer harbor from South Chicago to Evanston and inside of that there could be a race course which would make all the world jealous."

"When I took my power boat, Distiller III, to England last year, I was treated royally by the Englishmen and I have the promise of three of them that will send boats to Chicago next year in a regatta on the lake front.

"E. Mackay Edgar, owner of the Maple Leaf, the fastest going craft in the world and Noel Robbins, agreed among others to come to Chicago next year. If we can attract such men with what we now have, what could we do with such a club as we propose?"

SUMMARY OF NOVEMBER WEATHER.

Mean temperature 49.5 degrees, which was 7.2 degrees above normal. Maximum 75 degrees, date 21st. Minimum 17 degrees, date 11th. Total precipitation 3.60 in., or 1.55 in., above normal. A trace or snow fell on the 8th. Number of days with .01 or more precipitation 10; clear 6; part cloudy 7; cloudy 17. The month was the warmest since 1909, when the mean temperature was 51.2 degrees or 8.4 degrees above normal and nearly 1.00 inch more rainfall than this month.

GEORGE H. HALL, Observer, Alexander, Ill., Dec. 1, 1913.

Fit His Case Exactly.

"When father was sick about six years ago he read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Tablets in the papers that fit his case exactly," writes Miss Margaret Campbell of Ft. Smith Ark. "He purchased a box of them and he has not been sick since. My sister had stomach trouble and was also benefited by them." For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

HEARD BY LARGE AUDIENCE AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Sheppard Preached Two Excellent Sermons—Minister from New York Created Excellent Impression.

The congregations at the First Baptist church Sunday morning and evening had the pleasure of hearing two excellent sermons by Rev. J. H. Sheppard, D. D., of Borough Richmond, New York City. In the morning the theme was "The Christian's Present Home" and in the evening, "The Christian's Promised Paradise."

In the morning the reverend gentleman chose the words in the beautiful XVth chapter of John:

"If ye abide in me and my words abide in you ye shall ask what ye will and it shall be done unto you. Kept my Father's commandments shall abide in my love even as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in His Love. These things have I spoken unto you that my joy might remain in you and that your joy might be full."

The eloquent speaker dwelt at first on the occasion which brought forth the matchless words portraying in vivid word pictures the scene in the upper room and then the words spoken, we are not absolutely certain where. It was like a person who has said goodbye to dear friends and so dreading the parting that he waits a moment thinking of some other words he would utter before going.

The atmosphere of the Christian's home is love. "If ye love me keep my commandments." Where God is there is love and His love will make a palace of the most humble abode good of others; perfect love which is lacking in the greatest possession. This then is the Christian's present abode; the presence and blessing of the Heavenly Father inspiring devotion to duty, self sacrifice for the good of others; perfect love which casteth out fear.

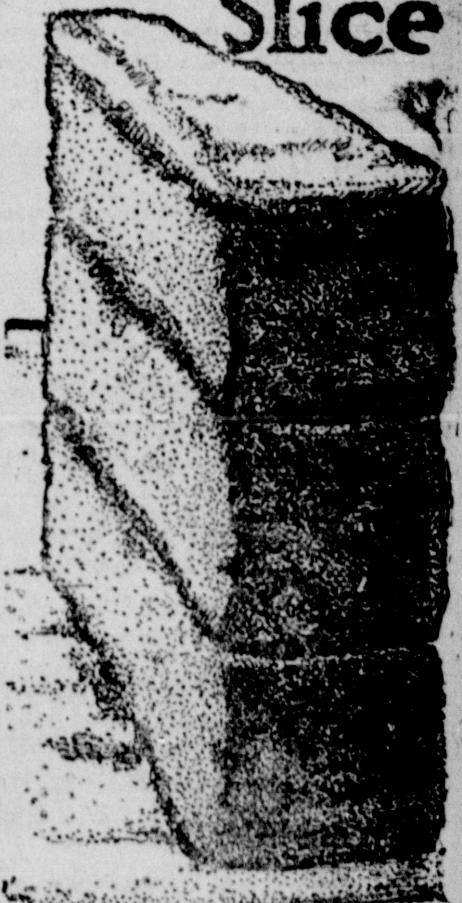
In the evening the theme was beautifully treated. Expressive of his sentiments toward the people whom the speaker was addressing he read Ephesians 3:14-19. His theme was treated especially from the scene when the Master promised the thief on the cross entrance that day with his Lord in Paradise and the parable of the Prodigal Son. And right there the speaker said he didn't know that we had any right to call that story a parable anyway, for was it not perfectly natural and then too he would name it differently and instead of calling it the story of the Prodigal Son he would name it the expression of a Father's love.

He told in beautiful words the work of the Master, His year of preparation, of popularity and persecution; how He had gone about telling the people and His disciples, not only of the work and trials which awaited them here on earth, but also of the promised Paradise beyond, that Paradise which was inhabited by the redeemed in glory. We are not made acquainted with any particulars regarding it, but we are assured that all will be perfect joy and peace.

Most of all we are to learn that the Paradise is what we choose to make it and the faithful, devoted servant of his Lord will have happiness in proportion to his faithfulness and honest services here on earth, for when called home it will be like stepping from one room into another, a home bought with the sacrifice of the Blessed One who "for the joy that was set before Him" endured all that we might have a Paradise with the redeemed in glory.

After each service the eloquent speaker hastened to the door and greeted the members of the departing congregation.

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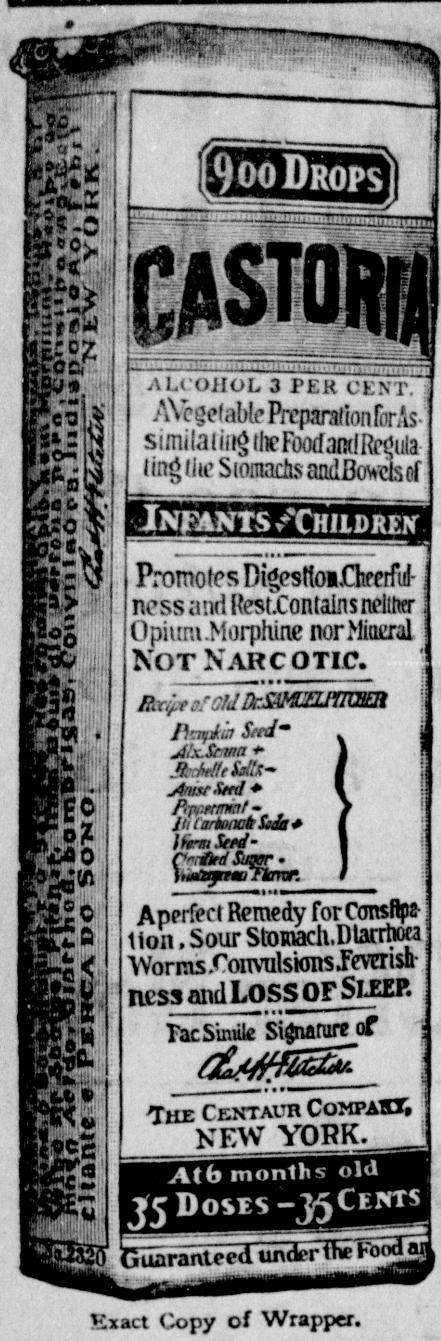


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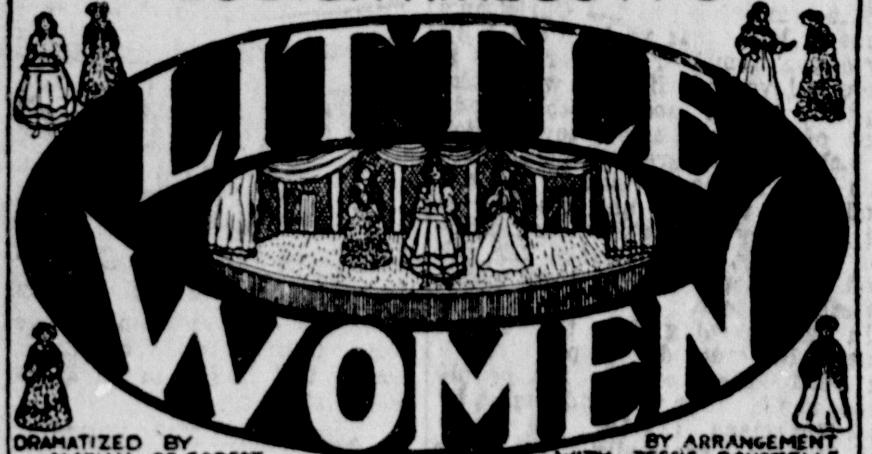
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MANY MILLIONS NEEDED TO OPERATE GOVERNMENT

CONGRESS WILL HAVE TO APPROPRIATE \$801,728,600.02.

Vast sum is needed to maintain the Army and Navy, for pensions, public works, and the many different departments into which the Government is divided.

Washington, Dec. 1.—Congress will have to appropriate just \$801,728,600.02 to operate the government of the United States during the fiscal year, 1915, according to the estimates prepared by each department and sent to the house today by Secretary McAdoo, of the treasury. With this vast sum the government will maintain the battleships and forts, and the armies in the states and in the countries that border the seven seas, it will keep the scales of justice balanced, endeavor to retain the friendship of foreign nations, look after domestic prosperity and seek at intervals to discover new ways in which to better health, improve living conditions and investigate the merits of the thousand new things in industry and commerce that come to its attention. For carrying the mails, including the parcels post, the government expects the nation to pay \$306,553,117 but the postoffice department is self-supporting and no appropriations are required from congress to keep it going.

Increase Over Last Year.

The estimates submitted today are \$2,864,067 in excess of the appropriations for the last fiscal year, but their total falls \$39,255,066 below the estimates for that year. Exclusive of the postoffice the estimates are as follows:

Legislative establishment \$7,533,331.

Executive establishment \$20,809,268.

Judicial establishment \$1,242,110.

Department of agriculture \$19,613,322.

Foreign intercourse \$4,447,042.

Military establishment \$105,937,544.

Naval establishment \$139,831,953.

Indian affairs \$10,208,865.

Pensions \$169,150,000.

Public works \$97,917,592.

Miscellaneous \$84,393,213.

Permanent annual appropriations \$131,186,407.

For the preservation and completion of vessels already in commission or authorized the navy department wants \$8,250,000; for the hulls and machinery of the two battleships and eight torpedo boat destroyers which Secretary Daniels wishes to build in the fiscal year 1914-1915, \$7,800,000; for armor and armament of vessels authorized \$10,091,000. The sum of \$300,000 is wanted for naval defense mines and appliances; \$150,000 for experimental work in high explosives; \$170,000 for the naval station at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, and \$750,000 for additions to facilities and for the purchase of additional ground at the naval proving ground, Indian Head, Maryland, just below Washington. To extend the naval gun factory in Washington, \$400,000 is asked.

Seal Increases For Army.

Many increases are sought for the army. Of these a large number are explained in the estimates by the statement that the army itself is larger than it has been heretofore. One of the principal military items is \$300,000 for military aeronautics, of which \$150,000 is to be spent for fifteen aeroplanes declared to be necessary if the United States is to keep abreast in this science and be "prepared to cope with other first class powers in case of war."

The estimates for the organized militia are larger by many millions than in previous years. Sums of \$1,330,000 for field camps of instruction, \$40,250 for equipment of coast artillery armories, \$2,100,000 for field artillery material, and \$3,000,000 for ammunition for such artillery for militia are asked.

For armament in fortifications the estimates are \$5,806,800, an increase of more than \$3,000,000 over last year. This \$3,000,000 is to be expended in the purchase, manufacture and test of ammunition for mountain, field and siege cannon and a large part of the remainder is to be used in altering old style field and coast artillery guns.

Another large item is \$892,000 for barracks and quarters at Fort Shafter, and at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii. The estimate for continuing seacoast defenses in the Philippines and Hawaii is put at \$951,632.

More Money for Panama Canal.

Although the Panama Canal probably will be in operation long before the close of the fiscal year of 1915, the war department estimates that \$26,326,985 must be appropriated for the canal that year, which is about \$5,000,000 more than the current appropriation. According to the estimates the number of the employees in the organization through the 1914 fiscal year was 22,000 while in the fiscal year of 1915 the number will be about 18,700. The organization on the isthmus and in Washington two years ago cost a little more than \$12,000,000 and with 33,000 employees off the rolls this sum will be reduced to about \$9,800,000.

For miscellaneous material for the canal \$10,459,000 is asked, and \$2,551,830 is wanted for fortifications. Of the appropriation for fortifications \$1,268,580, is to be spent for army quarters to provide accommodations in all for ten companies of coast artillery and \$780,825 is for installation of ten six-inch guns, seven 14-inch guns and twenty-eight 12-inch mortars.

Increase in Salaries Paid.

One of the most interesting items in the long list of estimates is that of \$475,500 for salaries and expenses of special attorneys, examiners

and agents of the bureau of corporations, an increase of \$300,000 over last year.

For Department of Commerce.

The department of commerce asks for \$100,000 to be used in investigating the cost of production of articles dutiable in the United States in leading countries where they are produced. These investigations are to go fully into wages, material costs, profits and other features. The sum of \$150,000 is asked also for the salaries and expenses of commercial attaches who are to be credited to the state department and who are to investigate and report upon foreign manufacturing conditions of interest in this country.

The census want \$925,000 for collecting statistics, of which \$56,400 is for a census of manufactures. For an investigation of problems in connection with public utilities to determine the quality and cost of service required in the regulation of utilities, the bureau asks \$100,000. For an investigation of the materials used in rails, wheels and axles and other railway equipment and the cause of their failure, \$30,000 is asked for the bureau standards. Among other estimates from the same department are \$50,000, an increase of \$45,000, for the salaries and expenses of commissioners of conciliation in labor disputes, and \$168,000 for the children's bureau.

For Income Tax Collection.

Secretary McAdoo estimates that he will need \$1,500,000 to collect the income tax. He says an increase is necessary because the tax collection machinery will be perfected by the time the appropriation made and because investigations will be made to determine cases of taxes withheld in previous years. The secretary reports that the work of his department is heavy and asks for an appropriation of \$5,000 for an "assistant to the secretary," and for \$50,000, an increase of \$20,000, for investigation and experimentation to secure better methods of administration.

For Department of Agriculture.

The department of agriculture asks congress for \$400,000 to use in eradicating the cattle tick, an increase of \$75,000, declaring that several southern states are manifesting an interest in cattle raising owing to the uncertainty of the cotton crop and the high price of cattle.

This department lines itself up with the department of justice and congress in the effort to drive into the operations of the cold storage dealers. It asks \$50,000 to investigate the preparations for market, the storing, freezing and other operations incidental to the transportation of poultry and eggs; \$15,000 to look into similar operations in fish; \$25,000 for an oyster investigation, and \$29,000 for a biological investigation of food and drug products, with \$654,301 for the enforcement of the pure food and drugs act. The sum of \$54,280 is wanted to "investigate" insects and insecticides, particular attention to be devoted to malaria-bearing mosquitoes and the ordinary house fly. The department wants \$166,330 for investigating road making, with \$70,000 for field experiments. A request is made for \$14,140 to collect and diffuse information concerning the best methods of marketing and distributing farm products, and \$50,000 for demonstrations; in cooperation with the states, of methods of live stock raising in cotton and cane sugar states.

The state department evidences its determination to house American representatives abroad in buildings furnished by the government in asking for \$150,000 for the purchase of a site and the construction of an embassy building in Mexico City; \$140,000 for the purchase of a site and construction of a building for the legation at Berne, Switzerland, and \$150,000 for the construction of an embassy building on ground now owned by the United States in Tokyo.

Work on Public Buildings.

For continuing work on public buildings already authorized the treasury department puts an estimate of \$6,111,283. Some of the principal items are \$19,000 for the Bangor, Maine, postoffice; \$150,000 for the appraisers stores and \$270,324 for the custom house at Boston; \$350,000 for the Brooklyn postoffice; \$200,000 for Denver; \$175,000 for Minneapolis; \$120,000 for Mobile; \$50,000 for the New Haven postoffice and courthouse; \$100,000 for the Newport postoffice and custom house; \$110,000 for the Piqua, Ohio, postoffice, and \$100,000 for the one at Yonkers, N. Y.

Rivers and Harbors Work.

For continuing rivers and harbors work the war department says it needs \$41,483,895 which includes improving the waterway connecting Lakes Union and Washington at Seattle, \$375,000; for completion of authorized contracts in Ohio river below Pittsburgh, \$1,976,000 and for construction of locks and dams same locality \$1,911,000; for Providence (R. I.) river and harbor \$500,000; for Channel from Galveston to Texas City, \$900,000; for Portland Maine, harbor, \$150,000; Boston harbor \$200,000; channel in Gowanus Bay, New York, \$30,000; removing obstructions East River, New York \$300,000; improving Hudson, New York \$750,000; improving Arthur Kill, New York, to deepen channel to 25 feet, \$5,000,000; Passaic River, New Jersey, \$150,000; Delaware River from Allegheny Avenue, Philadelphia, to sea \$1,000,000; inland waterway Norfolk, Va., to Beaufort Inlet, N. C., \$800,000; harbor of refuge, Point Lookout, N. C., \$300,000; maintenance 26 foot channel Savannah to the sea, \$250,000; St. Johns' river, Jacksonville, Fla., to the sea, \$300,000; Black Warrior and Tombigbee rivers, Alabama, \$500,000; Southwest Pass, Mississippi, \$400,000; open channel Camden to Arkadelphia, \$666,500; Port Aransas, Texas, \$800,000; Sabine Pass, Texas, \$350,000; Houston Texas ship channel, \$200,000; Cumberland river below Nashville, Tenn., \$250,000; Ohio river below Pittsburgh improvement with a view

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London, Dec. 1.—Queen Alexandra entered upon her 70th year today.

The occasion was marked by an unusually large gathering of the royal family. The customary salutes were fired and there was lavish display of flags throughout the kingdom. Her majesty's never waning popularity with the general public was further attested by the receipt of congratulatory messages from all parts of the world.

Tuesday.

Annual field trials of Virginia-Carolina Field Trial Association.

Wednesday.

Opening of annual bench show of Cleveland Fanciers' Club, Cleveland, O.

Jack Reed vs. "Kayo" Sweeney, 12 rounds at Webster, Mass.

Thursday.

Joe Burke vs. Tommy Trainor, 10 rounds, at Erie, Pa.

Gus Christie vs. "Knockout" Brennan, 10 rounds at Youngstown, O.

Friday.

Annual field trials of Pointer Club of America begins near Chase Va.

Saturday.

Annual meeting of the Western Inter-collegiate Conference, at Chicago.

Annual field trials of National Field Trial Club begin at Letchatchie, La.

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STATE TAX RATES HIGHEST ON RECORD

(Continued from Page 1.)

fixing of such a rate would leave an enormous deficiency.

Notwithstanding this protest this levy was made with full knowledge of the State Tax commission that a deficiency of over \$5,000,000 would be thereby created, and former Governor Denecan advocated this rate and voted therefor.

Moreover, this was done in the face of the law, approved June 10, 1911, which declares: "That there shall be raised, by levying a tax by valuation upon the assessed taxable property of the state, the following sums for the purposes hereinafter set forth."

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"The governor, the auditor and treasurer shall annually compute the several rate per cent required to procure not less than the above amounts."

1912 Rate Should Have Been 59c.

To have covered this deficiency, and left the treasury unimpaired, the tax rate for 1912 should have been 21c higher than the 38c rate fixed by the tax commission in 1912. In other words, in order to have kept the treasury in the condition in which the state could pay bills appropriated by the legislature, the tax rate in December, 1912, should have been fixed at 59c.

The present State Tax commission is faced with the necessity of raising this \$5,424,730.00 by increasing the tax rate sufficiently to cover this enormous deficiency. We are also faced with the necessity of raising the rate sufficiently high to pay in round numbers \$8,070,000.00 of increased appropriations which were made by the 48th general assembly although the governor vetoed appropriations, which aggregated \$1,130,000.00 or thereabout, by pruning every possible item that he could reach with a veto, without impairing the efficiency of the educational, charitable, penal and administrative institutions of the state.

The auditor of public accounts, pursuant to custom, has made a statement of appropriations made by the 48th general assembly for five years commencing July 1, 1913, and July 1, 1914, respectively, which is as follows:

Year 1913 \$23,589,576.42
Year 1914 \$14,325,881.51

In this auditor's statement appears a list of the increased appropriations made by the 48th general assembly for these two years. We find in this printed report that \$5,266,913.00 of these appropriations are supposed to be available during the year 1913.

Shows Cause of the Increase.

The increase of appropriations made by the 48th general assembly and available for the year 1913, is mainly brought about by the following items in the appropriations:

\$1,000,000.00 for state school fund, year 1913.

\$507,500.00 for state highway commission for good roads.

\$297,500.00 for state Panama-Pacific exposition.

\$361,200.00 for rivers and lakes commission for building levees at Cairo, Mound City and Shawneetown on Ohio river to prevent inundation.

\$719,966.00 for Chicago state hospital, new buildings, etc.

\$495,119.00 for Alton State hospital, new building.

\$500,000.00 for state colony for epileptics.

\$108,703.00 for secretary of state deficiency and emergency.

\$140,000.00 for commissioners state contracts emergency.

\$511,619.00 for Illinois national guard, new armories and flood emergency.

\$4,641,607.00 total.

After careful consideration of the appropriations made by the 48th general assembly, for the year 1913, and after taking into consideration the fact that there is a deficiency in the public treasury of \$5,424,730.00, it was agreed that the tax rate for the ensuing year should be fixed by the state tax commission at the rate of 70c per \$100.00.

If we fix the rate at any less amount, the treasury at this time next year will be depleted more or less, and the financial reputation of the state further discredited. It is a matter of extreme regret to us to be compelled to make this statement, and we only do it from a sense of public duty. This state of affairs has not been brought about by any extravagance in the administration of the concerns of this state since the present administration went into office.

By State Tax commission,
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VARIOUS ORDERS ENTERED
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

CITY AND COUNTY

Continuance Granted to John Lamberto, Who is Under Murder Charge—Demurrer Sustained in J. W. Miller Suit Against C. & A. In the Circuit court Monday in the case of J. W. Miller vs. the C. & A., a demurrer filed by the railroad to the second count of the plaintiff's bill was sustained. The plaintiff is asking for damages because of the destruction of an automobile and because of the mental and nervous shock as the result of the accident in which the car was destroyed. The demurrer referred to that portion of the declaration which claimed damages because of the nervous shock.Leave was given to file an additional count. The case is the result of the accident which happened at the Vandalia road crossing last summer.

A continuance was granted in the case of John Lamberto on the charge of murder. Lamberto is the section foreman who shot a negro at Yoeman's station on the C. & A. cut off a few months since. The motion for a continuance was made by his attorneys, Judge Layman and W. N. Hairgrove.

Augusta M. Nunes vs. Norman Nunes, divorce. Decree for complainant.

W. F. Timberman vs. Nellie J. Timberman, divorce. Decree for complainant and custody of child.

S. E. Miller vs. Anna L. Miller, divorce. Decree for complainant. Woodson State bank vs. J. E. Rawlings et al, foreclosure. Master's report approved, decree.

SPECIAL FOR TODAY
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Marion, Ind., Dec. 1.—The case of William W. Brown, township trustee of Ingalls, charged with the murderer of Albert Hawkins, a constable of Anderson, was called for trial in the Grant county circuit court today. The case was brought here on change of venue from Madison county.

The killing of Hawkins occurred in the town of Ingalls on the night of July 9 last. The tragedy was one of the direct results of a reign of "blind tigers" at Ingalls. Some time previously Constable Hawkins had raided a hotel conducted by Brown and his son, George William Brown. On the date of the killing he had returned to the hotel to obtain further evidence desired by the prosecution. Witnesses heard a violent altercation between the constable and the Browns. Later the same night the body of the constable was found in the street a short distance from the hotel.

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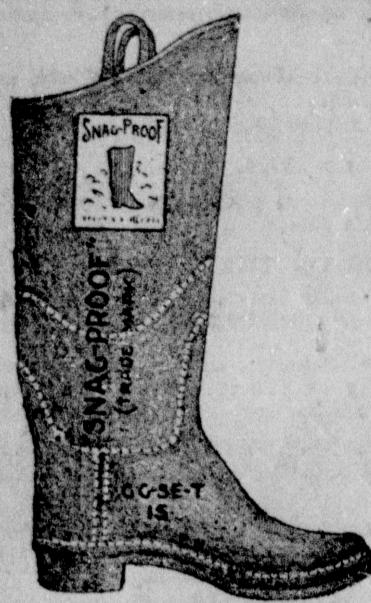
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MATRIMONIAL

Scott-Kinder.

The marriage of Carl Scott of Meredosia, step-son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, who reside near Meredosia and Miss Flossie Kinder of Hannibal, Mo., took place Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the Court house, by Judge E. P. Brockhouse. They expect to make their home on a farm in the spring.

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"Little Women" will appear at the Grand Opera House matinee and night Thursday, December 4th. A former announcement of date was incorrect. Prices will be matinee, children 25 cents; adults 50 cents to \$1. Night 25 cents to \$1.50.

POLICE NEWS.
Members of the night police force Sunday descended on a house on North West street and arrested a company of colored men who are charged with gaming. The men arrested were Amos Sutton, Wm. Lyons, George Robinson, James Casson, Syl Corbin and William Wright. They will have a hearing Thursday in Squire Coons' court.

SPECIAL MEETING TONIGHT.
The equal suffrage association will hold an open meeting at the public library tonight to discuss the light bond issue. This meeting has no connection with that announced by the civic league for Friday night.

BEAUTIFUL RUGS
and pillows, fancy aprons and artics in leather and beaten brass at State Street church bazaar Thursday.

"LITTLE WOMEN" AT THE GRAND THURSDAY
Close acquaintance with the lovable characters of Louisa M. Alcott's never-to-be-forgotten story, "Little Women," will be the privilege of Jacksonville people at the Grand Thursday afternoon and night. The play will be presented by Wm. A. Brady, exactly as it ran all year at The Playhouse, New York.

Sweet, simple, quaint and refreshing is the story of a half-century ago, and the play is as charming as the book, bringing very close to those who know and love the story, the old friends from out the covers of the book into that larger, more intimate life of the stage.

Mr. Brady has assembled a representative New York company of twelve players, and promises a scenic production accurate and realistic, showing the March home at Concord and the orchard at Plumfield. The play is in four acts and two scenes, and many of the costumes used have been secured from the Alcott family, including Jo's boots, which she got "from a lady who had a friend who knew an actor."

FUNERALS

O'Brien.

Funeral services for the late John O'Brien were held at the Church of Our Savior at 9 o'clock, Monday morning, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. Rev. Father Formaz officiating.

Burial was made in Calvary cemetery and the bearers were Thomas Flynn, John Walsh, William Walsh, William Cruse, Edward Kelly and Miles Kehoe. The following attended the services from out of the city, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brady and Michael O'Brien of Centralia; E. J. O'Brien, Beardstown; John O'Brien, Mrs. M. O'Neal, Ashland; Mrs. Thomas Meegan, Thomas O'Brien, Mrs. William McCullum, Bluffs; Miss Margaret O'Connor, St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor, Mt. Sterling; Mrs. Sue Pease, Springfield.

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PPLAYED GOOD GAME.
In mentioning the various high school players of the football team, Sunday morning, the name of Harrison Dickson was inadvertently omitted. Dickson has been playing both at guard and center. In the game against Monmouth he took Berryman's place at center and played a most creditable game. He has also been playing splendidly at tackle. With another year at center, Dickson should hold his own with the best of the centers in high school football athletics.

ATTENDED FUNERAL
AT WAVERLY.
Mr. and Mrs. James McBride, Mr. and Mrs. John Flannigan and Mrs. John Roach went to Waverly Monday where they attended the funeral of Mrs. McBride's aunt, Mrs. Arthur Curran, which was held Monday morning at St. Sebastian's Catholic church. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

HAM TREE DATE CANCELLED.
Manager Hunt of the Grand received a telegram yesterday cancelling the engagement of the Ham Tree scheduled for December 9th. Mr. Hunt has no particulars but understands that because of the Indianapolis teamster strike that the entire schedule of the company had to be changed. He expects a later engagement.

SLEWS GROCERY STOCK.
F. B. Six has sold his grocery stock at Alexander to S. D. Beurup and son and an invoice was taken Monday.

CURED OF LIVER COMPLAINT.
"I was suffering with liver complaint," says Iva Smith of Point Blank, Texas, and decided to try a 25c box of Chamberlain's Tablets, and am happy to say that I am completely cured and can recommend them to every one. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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CITY AND COUNTY
Mrs. John Holmes of Calumet, Mich., is visiting at the home of her parents.

J. D. Sevier shipped two cars of stock cattle Monday morning to the St. Louis markets.

William Phillips of Bloomington was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday for a few hours.

Mrs. C. E. Freeman and daughter Miss Inez of Mason City were among the Monday visitors in the city.

Miss Clara M. Russell has returned from a Thanksgiving recess which she spent with her sister, Miss Elizabeth Russell, who is a teacher in the School for the Deaf at St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crabtree and son, Farrell, were expected home last night from Lawton, Okla., where they went to attend a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crabtree.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cully and daughter, Ruby, of Macon, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan and two daughters, and Mrs. Eliza Osborne recently visited their mother, Mrs. Mary S. Jordan. In the afternoon they went to McDougall's studio where a group picture was taken.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE ARRANGES DEBATE

TRIANGULAR FORENSIC CONTEST HAS BEEN SETTLED.

Augustana College and Monmouth College to be Participants—Will Discuss Question of U. S. Handling Express Business—Freshmen-Sophomore Debate also Scheduled.

Old Illinois college, which has long stood, as a beacon light to the students of this and other states as a place to get in the game of debating, will still maintain that reputation this year. As the result of much correspondence, Illinois has entered into a triangular debate with Augustana college of Rock Island and Monmouth College of Monmouth, both schools being recognized as Illinois of being up to the standard.

The question has already been submitted and agreed upon and the time of the debate will be the third week in April. The question reads: "Resolved, that the National Government should conduct the express business of this country, the constitutionality of the question being conceded."

According to the arrangement, each college will have two teams in the race and the affirmative team of each college will remain at home. Illinois' debaters will be chosen from the membership of Phi Alpha and Sigma Pi societies. One of the chief events in the calendar of Illinois is the annual joint debate between the two societies and this year, the societies will debate the question, which has been accepted by the league.

FRESHMEN-SOPHOMORE DEBATE.
The Freshmen-Sophomore debate between Illinois college and Bradley Polytechnic Institute of Peoria will be held in Jacksonville, March 5. The representatives of the classes of each school debated last year in Peoria, having for a subject the commission of government and the Illinois debaters won out. As in the upper-class debate the members of the teams will be chosen from Sigma and Phi Alpha societies. The students are planning to make a clean sweep of the debates this year, so that the various contests promise to be lively.

MR. PARKER.
Parker's Lucky Curve non-leakable Fountain Pens.
Barzain Book Store.

SHIPS HOGS TO ST. LOUIS.
Three car loads of hogs were shipped from Rigerton Monday to the St. Louis markets. Prince Coats sent 94 head averaging 244 pounds. Elmer McCullough 143 head averaging 160 pounds and Jacob Christison 73 head averaging 200 pounds.

Good Pants News

We have on sale the entire yardage of suit woolens of a large clothing manufacturer, which they made into pants for us.

They are the ends of bolts of cloth which remain from the suit cuts. Every pair is all wool cassimere or worsted. The styles are from neat suit patterns which sold in the suits from \$15 to \$25.

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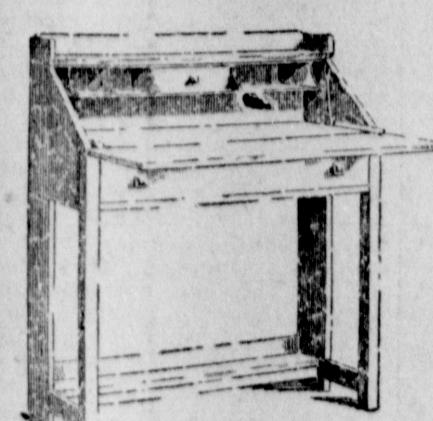
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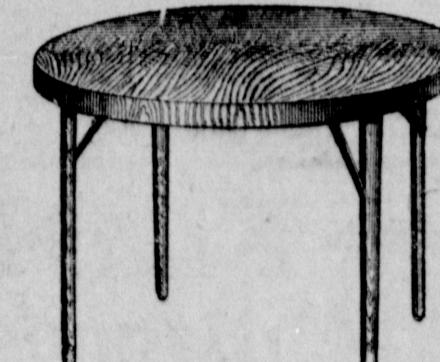


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